OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday the 24th September 1938.

Food Articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Guntoor, per palla ...	100	246	12 8 0 to 13 8 0		7 to 7½ seers per rupee
	Mysore Kaddi, per palla.	100	246	11 8 0 to 12 0 0		8 to 8½ ,,
Ragi ...	Duyam (Black), per cart-load.	640	...	35 0 0 to 36 0 0	...	16 to 16½ ,,
	Superior (Red), per cart-load.	640	...	37 0 0 to 37 8 0	...	
Tur ...	Gulberga ...	...	...	.....	...	7½ to 8½ ,,
Tur (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	5 to 6½ ,,
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	8 to 9½ ,,
Avare (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6½ to 7½ ,,
Oils and Oil Seeds—						
Oils ...	Sweet oil ...	...	26½	4 6 0	...	Re. 0-2-0 per seer
	Castor oil ...	...	28	3 12 0 to 3 14 0	...	,, 0-1-9
Oil seeds ...	Gingelly or til seeds, per candy.	255	...	30 0 0 to 34 0 0		
	Castor seed, per candy...	255	...	21 0 0 to 21 4 0		
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	...	25	3 5 0 to 3 6 0	...	Re. 0-6-6 to 0-7-0 per viss
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25	3 3 0 to 3 4 0	...	
Jaggery ...	Achu	...	28	2 8 0 to 2 14 0	...	Re. 0-5-6 to 0-6-0 per viss
	Oonde	...	28	2 8 0 to 2 14 0	...	
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26½	15 0 0	...	Rs. 2-0-0 per viss.
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	105	...	7 6 0	...	14 seers per rupee

BANGALORE,
Dated 26th September 1938.

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For *Director*.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE, FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1938.

A total of 66 attacks with 39 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 83 attacks with 44 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore reported nil attack with one death and 4 attacks with 4 deaths respectively, while Kolar Gold Field Area reported one attack with nil death. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1937 and 1936 were 86 attacks with 45 deaths and 15 attacks with 4 deaths respectively.

A total of one attack with 2 deaths from Smallpox was reported from one village in each of Channapatna and Sringere taluks.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 135(36 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 33·1(24·3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 29·4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered one under Plague, 6 under Typhoid, 5 under other Fevers, 8 under Phthisis, 23 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 92 under all other causes. The reported mortality was slightly high due to increase in deaths under Dysentery and Diarrhœa.

During the week the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 95 deaths (16 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 34·0 (28·3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 23·0 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Malaria 2, Broncho-pneumonia 5, Pneumonia 10, Typhoid 6, other fevers 1, Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 12, and all other causes 58. The reported mortality was slightly high due to increase in deaths under Typhoid and Pneumonia.